IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:		§	
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Serial No.: Natl. Phase of PCT/JP99/01365		§	Group Art Unit: Unknown
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Filed:	Herewith	§	Examiner: Unknown
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For:	APPARATUS FOR INTEGRATED	§	
	PROCESS OF MAGNETIC PARTICLES	§	
	AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING	§	
	SAME	§	•

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

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Prior to the initial examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 21, please delete "Fig. 13" and insert - Fig. 21 -.

Page 1, line 27, please delete "Fig. 13" and insert - Fig. 21 -.

IN THE DRAWING:

Fig. 10 has been amended to indicate that reference numeral 91 points to a cylinder.

Fig. 12 has been amended to include reference numerals 131-147.

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Amended) An apparatus for an integrated process of magnetic particles comprising; a drawing/discharging device for drawing and discharging a fluid, plural nozzles